

FARM BUSINESS BALANCE SHEET: Wisconsin, December 31, 1997-2001

Item	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	Thousand dollars				
Farm assets	26,180,864	27,885,577	32,693,567	36,597,058	39,366,081
Real estate	16,475,944	18,092,265	22,624,713	26,617,309	29,279,040
Livestock and poultry 1/	2,603,593	2,866,996	3,217,654	3,077,426	3,217,654
Machinery and motor vehicles 2/	3,732,912	3,730,807	3,738,888	3,738,597	3,787,128
Crops 3/	1,313,213	1,147,081	1,022,401	854,243	760,874
Purchased inputs	236,935	243,512	194,642	236,709	203,670
Financial	1,818,267	1,804,916	1,895,269	2,072,774	2,117,715
Farm debt 4/	5,629,483	5,817,010	5,930,811	6,202,714	6,499,690
Real estate	2,748,712	2,861,337	3,015,539	3,111,454	3,278,658
Farm Credit System	727,241	766,324	805,897	824,528	913,329
Farm Service Agency	118,278	106,813	99,910	95,534	94,032
Commercial banks	1,113,040	1,198,089	1,314,092	1,412,713	1,477,204
Life insurance companies	70,250	77,336	82,866	75,731	76,855
Individuals and others	719,904	712,775	712,775	702,948	717,239
CCC storage & drying loans	0	0	0	0	0
Nonreal estate	2,880,771	2,955,673	2,915,272	3,091,260	3,221,032
Farm Credit System	802,896	832,146	790,978	855,938	978,852
Farm Service Agency	163,856	148,775	153,845	151,341	151,888
Commercial banks	1,303,817	1,339,125	1,312,575	1,393,214	1,387,923
Individuals and others	610,202	635,627	657,874	690,768	702,368
Equity	20,551,381	22,068,567	26,762,756	30,394,344	32,866,391
Ratio:			Percent		
Debt/equity	27.4	26.4	22.2	20.4	19.8
Debt/assets	21.5	20.9	18.1	17.0	16.5

1/Excludes horses, mules, and broilers. 2/Includes only farm share value for trucks and autos. 3/All non-CCC crops held on farms plus the value above loan rate for crops held under CCC. 4/Excludes debt for nonfarm purposes. Source: Economic Research Service, USDA.